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Of New York.

TUESDAY JULY 10 1906

A GREAT many people predict a close, a very close election this year. We do not, says the Salt Lake Tribune. We believe the result will be a mighty victory and an overwhelming defeat. We believe that either Mr. Harrison will carry a solid North, with perhaps two or three Southern States, or that Mr. Cleveland will not only carry the Solid South and the four doubtful Northern States, but two or three besides that are not considered doubtful now. The point will be how the silent masses will speak when they do speak at the polls. We believe that will be determined by the kind of campaign that is planned by the respective parties. It will be a test of platforms, and there will be more study and thought given the issue this year than ever before since 1864. In that year national life and honor hung upon the result, and the answer which the people gave was very grand. This year it will be a question of which policy gives the best promise of prosperity and progress to the people. Next to the question of patriotism, the people respond quickest to the question which strikes their pockets. It will be for the orators and the newspapers to make this matter as clear as possible from the data at hand. It is not a very safe business to lay very heavy wagers on the result for a month or two to come.

Now that Mahone and Riddleberger have made peace the Republicans have a fighting chance in Virginia. Cleveland carried the State by less than 6,000 majority in 1884, the Republicans electing two Congressmen. Two years ago the Republicans elected six Congressmen out of ten, and the total Democratic vote was 102,490, opposition 123,420, including a Labor vote which elected one Congressman. Before the rise of the Republican party there was a Whig protective element in Virginia large enough to make the State sometimes very close. Van Buren beat Harrison in 1840 by only 1,392 and Cass had only 1,453 majority over Taylor. With the Tariff issue squarely joined, the Republican factions united, a free vote and a fair count there is a chance of breaking the Solid South.

A NEW YORK wool merchant knocks Congressman Mills' free wool argument all to pieces simply by quoting facts. Mills said that we raised only 265,000,000 pounds of wool, instead of 600,000,000; and that foreign wool was needed this year when the market is so full that every one wants to unload. Mills claims that we now need 44,000,000 pounds of clothes wool, while in fact the warehouses are filled with it. Much of the wool imported is let in at the lowest rate of duty. The policy of the Treasury regarding waste wool is vicious. A great deal of good wool gets in under the name of waste. This with the knowledge and consent of the President; and the present stagnation is because no one knows how much more of it will be let in free of duty.

THE Democrats may draw another instance of the beneficial effects of free trade from the position and circumstances of Canada. Canada is a great country, is supplied with what she wants under the British Democratic system from England direct, and her imports pay no duty. Her population is less than that of the State of New York, which is crushed by protection and over-ridden by arrogant manufacturers and their employees. Still it must be admitted that Canada owes \$147,000,000, while New York's debt is less than \$7,000,000.

An interesting bit of campaign literature is promised the Republicans from the pen of Cleveland himself. Since May 8, 1886, he has vetoed 136 special acts of Congress granting pensions to aged or infirm veterans, or the widows of soldiers. Some of the executive documents accompanying these vetoes are couched in abusive and derisive language and it is extracts and examples of this Presidential brutality quoted from the veto messages which are to be presented to the gaze of the people.

Nor content with making winter life a burden in Missouri the Clerk of the Weather has just inflicted upon that suffering State a hurricane with lightning, thunder and hail. That is where Nevada has a great advantage over the Northern belt of ice.

The well-known Nationalist, William Mandeville, is dead. He was a nephew of Colonel John O. Mahony, the Fenian head-center in America.

## OVER THE WIRES.

### Parnell Demands an Investigation.

### Mills' Assertions Relative to Wool Refuted.

### A Heavy Cloud-Burst at Kansas City—Riddleberger and Mahone Bury the Hatchet.

### PARNELL MEANS BUSINESS.

### He Will Demand the Government to Investigate the Charges Against Him.

LONDON, July 9.—Parnell has decided to ask that a Parliamentary committee be appointed to inquire into the charges made by the Times against himself and other leaders of the National party.

In the House of Commons to-day Sir Wilfred Lawson, Home Ruler, asked whether the Government would grant the appointment of a committee of the House to inquire into the charges. In reply, the Right Hon. W. H. Smith, Government leader, said that the House was incompetent to inquire into the charges. A proper inquiry, he declared, could be obtained through the proper tribunals.

### FREE WOOL.

### The Strong Declarations of a Prominent Importer.

NEW YORK, July 9.—Thomas Scott, of the firm of Scott & Sons, wool importers, says, in reference to Mr. Mills' speech here on the Fourth: "The father of the tariff bill made many misleading statements, such as that we raised only 265,000,000 pounds instead of 600,000,000, and that foreign wool was needed here this year, though the market is so full that everyone wants to unload." Mr. Scott said further the falsity of Mills' statement is easily proven. Nearly all the wool imported comes in at the lowest rate of duty and pays two and one-half to five cents a pound. It is ranked as third-class, known as carpet wool. Mr. Mills makes these statements when Ohio wool, the finest in the country, goes a begging and when the market is glutted. The wool men will bear in mind the words of Mills when Cleveland comes up for re-election in November. West Virginia will also have a word to say about free wool at the same time. Mills says we need forty-four million pounds of clothes wool, while the fact is the warehouses are loaded with it. One weakness of the wool trade at present is because much of it is admitted at little or no duty. The policy adopted by the Treasury Department in regard to waste wool is a vicious one, \$118,000 worth being admitted during last year. This is with the knowledge and consent of Cleveland. The present stagnation and demoralization is due solely to the fact that no one knows how soon more of this wool will be admitted free of duty.

### NEW JUDGES.

### A Lot of Non-Residents to be Sent to the Territories.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—The President to-day nominated Elliott Sandford of New York, to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Utah; Hugh W. Weir of Pennsylvania, to be Chief Justice, and Charles H. Berry of Minnesota, to be Associated Justice of the Supreme Court of Idaho; Frederick Ross of Dakota, to be Associated Justice of the Supreme Court of Dakota; John H. Keatley of Iowa, to be United States Judge for the District of Alaska.

### Harrison's Pedigree.

RICHMOND, Va., July 10.—R. A. Brook, Secretary of the Southern Historical Society, who made a careful search of the records of the Virginia Harrison family, says: "General Harrison, the Republican Presidential nominee, is not related to the regicide Harrison. The first land grant issued to the Harrison heirs," says Brook, "was to Benjamin Harrison, consisting of 264 acres of land in Isle of Wight county, in 1635. There is no evidence to show that Harrison is entitled to any coat-of-arms, but probably adopted the family crest, which was not uncommon in early days in this State."

### The Folsom Estate.

OMAHA, July 10.—A petition was filed in the District Court Saturday by Francis C. Cleveland, Benjamin Folsom, Niles B. Folsom and ten others, heirs of the late John B. Folsom, for the partition of their several interests in fifty lots in the city of Omaha, forming a part of the Folsom estate. The property is valued at several thousand dollars. The petition, in the course of a very lengthy and elaborate statement of the case, explains "that the plaintiff, Francis C. Cleveland, is the same person as Francis C. Folsom, named as one of the heirs in said will, he having since the date thereof intermarried with one Grover Cleveland."

### Ellis Wants His Son

BERLIN, July 10.—King Milan has formally invoked the aid of the authorities of the Prussian province of Hesse-Nassau, to enforce his wife, who is now stopping at Wiesbaden, to surrender to him the Crown Prince.

## UNITY IN VIRGINIA.

### Riddleberger and Mahone Bury the Hatchet and go to Work.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—In an interview last night Senator Riddleberger said: "At the urgent solicitation of some of the most prominent of the Republican national leaders, I made a proposition to ex-Senator Mahone to meet me with a view to an adjustment of our differences. He came to see me at Chicago, where I was acting with what is misnamed the Wise faction, but the time was inopportune, and the interview was postponed until we reached Washington, when he came to see me at my rooms. We had a long and earnest talk, and have met twice since. The result of those conferences is that we are now working together for the good of the Republican party. We both recognized that that great interest was paramount, and that our personal differences were insignificant beside it. The same flag of truce will be extended in other directions, until the Republican party of Virginia is again harmonious. It is my honest opinion that we have a good fighting chance to carry Virginia for the Republican Presidential ticket, and that it is the only State in the South where that ticket stands a ghost of a chance."

### A Heavy Cloud Burst.

KANSAS CITY, July 10.—The most disastrous storm that has visited Kansas City for years raged during last night until twelve o'clock. During the height of the storm Eighteenth street for seven blocks became a turbulent river which flooded all the houses to a depth of two feet, and at Twenty-third and Vine streets the fifteen-foot culvert was inadequate to carry the immense volume of water, which backed up, carrying away two houses, the inmates of which were only rescued with great difficulty. Those who saw the storm say that it was undoubtedly a cyclone burst, and that death and destruction are numerous, but at this hour no fatalities have been verified. It is said that a family of four, named Williams, were washed away and drowned. The loss will aggregate many thousands of dollars.

### Goldenson's Doom Sealed.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—Argument was heard by the United States Supreme Court, Judge Field, this morning, on the application of a writ of error to the United States Supreme Court in the case of Goldenson, convicted of the murder of Mamie Kelly, less than two years ago. Judge Field denied the writ. The State Supreme Court has already passed upon the case, and Governor Waterman has declined to interfere. It is probable that the date of execution will be fixed soon.

### Sheridan at Nonquitt.

NONQUITT, Mass., July 8.—The Swatara, with General Sheridan aboard, arrived this afternoon, and at 3:40 he was brought out of the forward cabin on a stretcher, his face being covered with a cloth, and placed in the captain's gig and towed ashore by a steam launch. The journey was slowly but safely made to shore. The distinguished invalid was tenderly conveyed to his cottage, an eighth of a mile distant, and was placed on a cot in the parlor. He looked wan and wasted, but bore the fatigue well.

### Turkey Alarmed.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 9.—The Sultan fearing that Australia may be induced to make concessions to Russia in Bulgaria, which will be equivalent to the restoration of the Pan Slavist movement, and which will threaten the interests of the Ottoman empire, has ordered the Treasury Department to create an Extraordinary Resource fund of \$10,000,000. The Porte has resumed negotiations for a loan with the Ottoman bank.

### A Dishonest Public Administrator.

PASCO, A. T., July 9.—Patrick Ford, ex-Public Administrator of this county, and his son, Jerome, were sentenced Saturday by Judge Wright to one year in the penitentiary for arson, in burning a building belonging to the estate of C. P. Stanton, of which the former was administrator.

### "PHAT THE DIVIL'S THAT?"

John Mackay the Victim of a Joke at the C. & C. shaft.

At the C. & C. shaft, says the Virginia Chronicle, there is a top carman named Bailey. He is so short in stature that when standing erect his chin barely reaches to the top of a mine car. What he lacks in height, however, he makes up in strength and is a very efficient carman.

While visiting the C. & C. shaft recently John Mackay observed a car approaching very rapidly from the ore house and seeing no one in the vicinity surmised that it was running away, and stepping in front of it attempted to stop it. Just as he caught the car he was surprised to see a man's head pop up just above the top of the rear end of the car, the owner of which exclaimed "Phat the divil's that?"

It proved to be Bailey who was behind the car pushing it and on account of his short stature invisible. The ludicrous incident caused much merriment among those who witnessed it, in which Mr. Mackay joined.

### The Eagle Lake Tunnel.

Work is soon to be resumed in the tunnel which is to tap Eagle Lake, Lassen county. The tunnel is being run by Hon. P. N. Marker of Nevada and Captain C. A. Merrill of California. The lake will give a flow of 750,000,000 gallons each 24 hours and will irrigate 150,000 acres of land now lying uncultivated for want of water. The lands to be irrigated are on the borders of Honey Lake valley, the central part being irrigated by Susan river. Within the past year there have been constructed in Lassen county no fewer than half a dozen reservoirs. These cost from \$500 to \$5,000 each and hold from 5,000,000 to 40,000,000 gallons of water. These reservoirs have more than doubled the value of many ranches.

## DOCKSTADER'S MINSTRELS.

### Dickie Jose Plenses the Comstockers—Their Antediluvian Jokes.

The above-named company which will appear at the McKissick Opera House to-morrow evening appeared in Virginia last evening at a crowded house greeting them. The Virginia Enterprise says: "Dockstader's Minstrels brought a good reputation, but the audience wondered how they found room for it along with the immense assortment of gray-haired jokes they had with them. Their singers were good. Dickie Jose, whom most of the audience went to hear, reached the hearts of the people with his splendid singing. Dickie is an old acquaintance and favorite, and last night fully realized the expectations of his enthusiastic admirers. While he was singing it was observed that nearly every young lady in the theater stopped chewing gum, in order not to lose any of the sweet music of his beautiful voice. Except for the singing the performance can not be called good; it was spoiled by the almost pre-historic style of fun. The patent medicine salesman in that city ten years ago could make copious selections of puns, witticisms and conundrums from which the company could cull a supply of fresher humor. People dearly love to laugh, but they would get much fatter laughing at ridiculous sayings from the Antediluvian age, and a little industry on the part of the funny men would enable them to adopt some robust, amusing sayings and doings that are only in the prime of life."

### An Enterprising Caricaturist.

The Carson Appeal says: It is currently reported that Martin M. Downey a Carson undertaker, called on a consumptive gentleman at the Arlington House, in that city recently to open negotiations with him regarding his funeral, saying that if he would give him the job he would make very reasonable terms with him.

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## WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Agricultural Experiment Station, for July 7.

	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.
Temperature.....	66.8	85.9	69.0
Dew point.....	56.6	70.3	54.3
Relative humidity.....	52.9	69.1	72.3

\* In degrees. † Per cent.  
Mean temperature..... 69.7  
Maximum temperature..... 85.9  
Minimum temperature..... 54.3  
Range of temperature..... 31.6  
State of weather..... clear  
Prevailing wind..... northwest  
Total rain fall (inches)..... 0.00  
W. McN. MILLER, Observer.

## YESTERDAY'S STOCK BOARD

70 Ophir, 7 1/4	100 Mexican, 8 3/4, 8 3/8
100 Gould & Curry, 3 20	100 Best & Belcher, 4 35
350 Con-Cal-Va, 10 1/2	320 Savage, 4 15, 4 20, 4 1/4
200 Chollar, 3 1/2	600 Pioneer, 3 1/2
485 Hale & Norcross, 6 3/4, 6 1/2	60 Crown Point, 4 1/2
280 Yellow Jacket, 4 90, 4 85	50 Belcher, 4 35
600 Imperial, 55, 60c	100 Alpha, 2
40 Confidence, 20 1/2	100 Sierra Nevada, 3 1/2, 3 80
30 Utah, 1 1/2	50 Bullion, 1 35
240 Exchange, 1 30, 1 1/4	100 Seg. Belcher, 3 1/2, 3 15
600 Overman, 1 80	300 Justice, 1 10
100 Union Con, 3 80	355 Alta, 1 65
250 Caladonia, 40c	300 Challenge, 6 1/2
250 Occidental, 1 85, 1 60	200 Lady Washington, 40c
100 Scorpion, 70c	265 Keyes, 1 1/4, 1 60
450 Grand Prize, 2 30	150 N. Belle Isle, 5 85
75 Queen, 5 1/2	50 Commonwealth, 4 90
245 Bodie, 2 1/2, 2 80	900 Bulwer, 1
150 Syndicate, 20c	100 Mono, 1 1/4, 1 80
600 Peer, 75, 70c	100 Crocker, 1 10
150 Pacific, 2 15	100 Weldon, 1 50c
100 Locomotive, 20c	

## MOTEL ARRIVALS.

DEPOT HOTEL.—M F Hubbard, Mrs J N Standorf, Sacramento; J H Whited and son, Wadsworth; Geo D Winters and wife, Smoke Creek; R Rosenthal, Chicago; John M Cook, Tuscarora; W S Phelps and wife, Miss M E Miller, Joseph Rodgers, M Rodgers, F Rodgers, Miss M Rodgers, L. Frankenberg, W P Thomas, Mrs Rest, M K Landen, San Francisco; W Legat, Susanville; J M Daly; W T Bricelee, Reno; A Chantz, Chicago; J O. Harlow.

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## JOTTINGS.

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The Depot Hotel has a full patronage, with the increased travel. Parry & Fitzgerald can eat, but not sleep all who desire to be accommodated there.

For desk folios, large sheet blotting paper, vellum tracing cloth, invitation cards, legal cap, fool cap, bill cap, letter and note paper call at Thurston's.

J. F. Aitken will accommodate any one who may call upon him with a half cord, cord, or a hundred cords of wood, and any quantity of cord ice at the door early in the morning.

Parties wishing to can have their mattresses and lounges re-upholstered at their own residence by calling on A. Barnes, Virginia street, opposite the City Hotel.

Bill Haveron, the Virginia street groceryman, is never heard to complain of dull times, the reason being that he never fails to have just what his customers call for. Examine his stock of glass and crockery ware.

We read of men who discount three score and ten years who take their toddies daily. They did not drink common brands of whiskey, but those noted for their purity, as "Thistle Dew" is, which is sold by Pinniger, the druggist.

The dry goods store of E. Levy & Bro. presents a busy scene. Goods are being opened by the wholesale, ladies are crowding the establishment to secure first choice, and the unanimous verdict is that their stock in every branch this season surpasses anything ever brought to Reno.

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## BREVITIES.

**Local and General Intelligence.**  
Bill Bryson of Georgetown is in town.

Thomas J. Smith has been appointed postmaster at Wadsworth.

Archibald Farrington, Manager of the Reno Reduction Works, is in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Riter returned from San Francisco this morning.

Mrs. George McInnis of Carson is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. M. Jamison.

George D. Winters and wife of Smoke Creek are registered at the Depot hotel.

Alf. Chantz, city editor of the Virginia Enterprise, returned from the east this evening.

The Enterprise says Nevada cattlemen use fish salt on their ranges, which is death to sheep.

The DAILY GAZETTE is the only paper in Nevada having an organized corps of correspondents.

Bishop Leonard and Rev. J. M. Rankin, principal of the School for Girls, went to Carson to-day.

The public schools of Storey county will go on a picnic, probably at Carson, on the 14th instant.

Joseph Mount, advance agent for Jeffreys Lewis, the well-known actress, is registered at the Palace.

State Printer J. C. Harlow, who has been east as a delegate to the A. O. U. W. convention, returned home this morning.

A settlement is springing up at Resting Spring, Lincoln county, in view of the present railroad prospects of that section.

Captain J. L. Hunt of San Francisco is in town en route to Inyo county, Cal., where he has extensive mining interests.

Fred Leroy, a half-witted fellow with a fondness for the ardent, is in the county jail, sleeping off the effects of his last debauch.

Virginia Enterprise: "Reno is again rampant for a woolen mill." Yes; and we are going to keep the "ramp" up until we get one.

Jeffrey Lewis, the celebrated actress, will appear in "Forget-Me-Not," at McKiesick's Opera House on the evening of the 17th instant.

W. J. Salkeld, a prominent mill and mining man of Gold Hill, arrived from San Francisco this morning and proceeded to the Comstock.

Uncle Alf Hill, who was severely gored by Governor Stevenson's Jersey bull on Saturday last, is reported to be rapidly recovering from his injuries.

E. Schlusser, arrested last evening for disturbing the peace, was fined \$10 by Justice Young for his little fun. As he is broke, he will serve the county for the next eight days.

Miss Margaret McIntosh, one of Reno's most competent school teachers, has gone to San Francisco and will attend the meeting of the National Educational Association there on the 17th instant.

Chestnut street, between Third and Fourth streets, is now impassable, owing to the construction of a sewer across that thoroughfare. A plank or two should be laid across the excavation for the accommodation of pedestrians.

A pelican, which measured eight feet nine inches from tip to tip of outstretched wings and five feet eight inches from tip of bill to feet, was shot and killed on the Humboldt river on the 7th instant by a hunter named Paul Nebb.

Zamloch, the great magician, will appear in the McKiesick Opera House on the 13th and 14th instants, besides giving a Saturday matinee. Popular prices will prevail, the rates of admission being as follows: General admission, 50 cents; reserved seats, 75 cents.

Every seat, but two, in the dress circle of McKiesick's Opera House has been reserved for the performance of the Dockstader's Minstrels to-morrow night. There are a few seats remaining in the balcony, but the indications are that they will find occupants before the box-sheet closes.

Francis Wood, recently discharged from the county hospital, was arrested last evening for disturbing the peace. On appearing before Justice Young he was discharged, it appearing that the old man is partially demented and not responsible for his actions when under the influence of liquor.

The young children of "Rough" Elliot, now on trial at Lone Pine, Inyo county, California, for murder, have been sent to their father in the hope that their presence will have some effect on the jury. A collection was taken up among sympathetic friends here to defray the expenses of the journey.

The children of the Orphan's Home, Carson, and the Indian children of the Pyramid Reservation school, have contributed exhibits to the display to be made by the Nevada Educational Association at the convention of the National Educational Association, which meets in San Francisco on the 17th inst.

The San Francisco Republican says: "Hock Mason, a prominent Nevada cattle monarch, who was a delegate to the Democratic National Convention from that State, is in the city. He favors free trade on everything but hoofs, hides, horns and Tom Ricker, against all of which he thinks there should be a prohibitory tariff."

The owner or lessee of the McFarlin building, on the corner of Sierra and Third streets, would earn the thanks of the people living in the northwestern portion of the town by placing a step from the sidewalk to the level of Sierra street. As it is at present it is not only inconvenient for pedestrians, but dangerous, especially to lady theater-goers.

## "PROTECTION!"

**A Wide-Awake Journalist Discusses the Political Situation.**  
Alf. Chantz, city editor of the Virginia Enterprise, returned from the east last evening. Mr. Chantz attended the Chicago Convention in the capacity of special correspondent of the Enterprise, and since its adjournment has visited Canada and many of the principal cities in the east. In conversation with a GAZETTE reporter, he briefly gave his views of the political situation, which, coming from a trained observer, are entitled to greater weight than if they were the views of an enthusiastic partisan. He said: "The combination of Harrison and Morton has been enthusiastically received in the east and the party view the approaching campaign with the utmost complacency, confident that the ticket will receive an overwhelming majority. We of the West cannot appreciate the magnitude of the issue on which the fight will be made, but the people of the middle and eastern States are alive to the dangers which will menace the manufacturing interests if the free trade theories of Cleveland are put into practice. Everywhere 'Protection!' is the watchword, and the workmen are sending the praises of Harrison and Morton. With the laboring classes voting solidly for Harrison and Morton, victory is a foregone conclusion. It seems, also, to be the general opinion among leading Republicans, that the party could not have made a wiser choice. The nomination of Benjamin Harrison and Levi P. Morton has healed the breach in the ranks of the party and it now presents a solid front to the opposition. The free trade policy of the D-mocratic party, with all its British gold and influence, can not retard in its march to power. The enthusiasm in the east is something wonderful, and the enthusiasm is spreading westward, and when the campaign begins in earnest the watchword, 'Protection!' will be heard from one end of the country to the other."

Unfortunately the bell of the Virginia & Truckee train sounded at this juncture, and the reporter was reluctantly compelled to loosen his hold on the button-hole of Mr. Chantz's coat, thus ending the interview.

## "The Bandit King."

A very poor house greeted the J. H. Wallack company in "The Bandit King" at the McKiesick Opera House last evening, but those who attended were well repaid for their time and money. It is a good show, replete with thrilling incidents, hairbreadth escapes, etc., as is usually found in melodramas of this class, and the trained horses were alone worth the price of admission. The GAZETTE commends the company to the people of Carson and Virginia, feeling assured that it is worthy of liberal patronage.

## The Reason Why.

The Comstock brewers are complaining that people are drinking too much Welland's beer instead of patronizing the home brew. This is to be regretted, says the Carson Appeal, but if the home brewers were to investigate the matter they would discover that Welland is cutting a big swath in Virginia because he spends \$5 in advertising his beer where the local brewers spend one. This is how he comes to sell so much.

## Abominable Sidewalks.

Most of the sidewalks in Reno are a disgrace to the town, and no time should be lost in repairing or demolishing them. In many places the planks are broken, and nails can be seen sticking up above the boards, to trip the unwary pedestrian or tear the dresses of ladies. A crusade against the nuisance should be inaugurated by those whose business it is to attend to such matters.

## Sam Davis' Only Girl.

One day last week Farmer McKeezie of Gilroy, plowed two acres of alfalfa. He gave the surface a good dressing down with water, and by 4 o'clock the next day the whole field was green with alfalfa sprouts.

## What Florida People Live On.

"What do you Florida people live on in summer?" "Fish." "What in the winter?" "Yankees." Alas! how many northerners draw their last breath in Florida, slain by that fell destroyer, consumption, who would have lived had they used that marvelous specific for consumption, when not too far advanced, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, better than hypophosphites and cod liver oil, because more nutritive and tonic; also an invaluable liver, corrective and blood purifier, cleansing away all morbid humors (which cause consumption), and all other impurities of the blood, curing glandular swellings, goitre or thick neck, old sores and ulcers. Of druggists.

## For First Place.

A great amount of political engineering will be done by friends of candidates to secure for their man the first place on the ticket, and the best man will probably secure the coveted place. Then if endorsed by the majority of the people, the election is assured. Electric Bitters has been put to the test, in this respect, and has been endorsed, and unanimously given the first place, among remedies peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Diseases of Kidneys, Liver and Stomach. Electric Bitters being guaranteed, is a safe investment. Price 50c, and \$1 per bottle at Hodgkinson & Co.'s Drug Store.

Asthma and Phthisis are instantly relieved by taking a few doses of Fryer's Abiesene Cough Balsam. (It contains no Opium.) Price, 75 cents. Sold by W. Pinniger. All genuine Abiesene preparations bear the fac-simile signature of D. F. Fryer.

I have been afflicted with an affection of the throat, a childhood, caused by diphtheria, and have used various remedies, but have never found relief until I used Fryer's Abiesene Cough Balsam. Rev. C. M. F. Hampton, Jackson, Ky. sold only in boxes.

## BRUNEAU JOHN.

### A STORY OF THE BANNOCK WAR.

"American" Discusses the Indian Question—Some Pertinent Suggestions—Etc.

Regular Correspondence GAZETTE.  
ELKO, July 8, 1888.

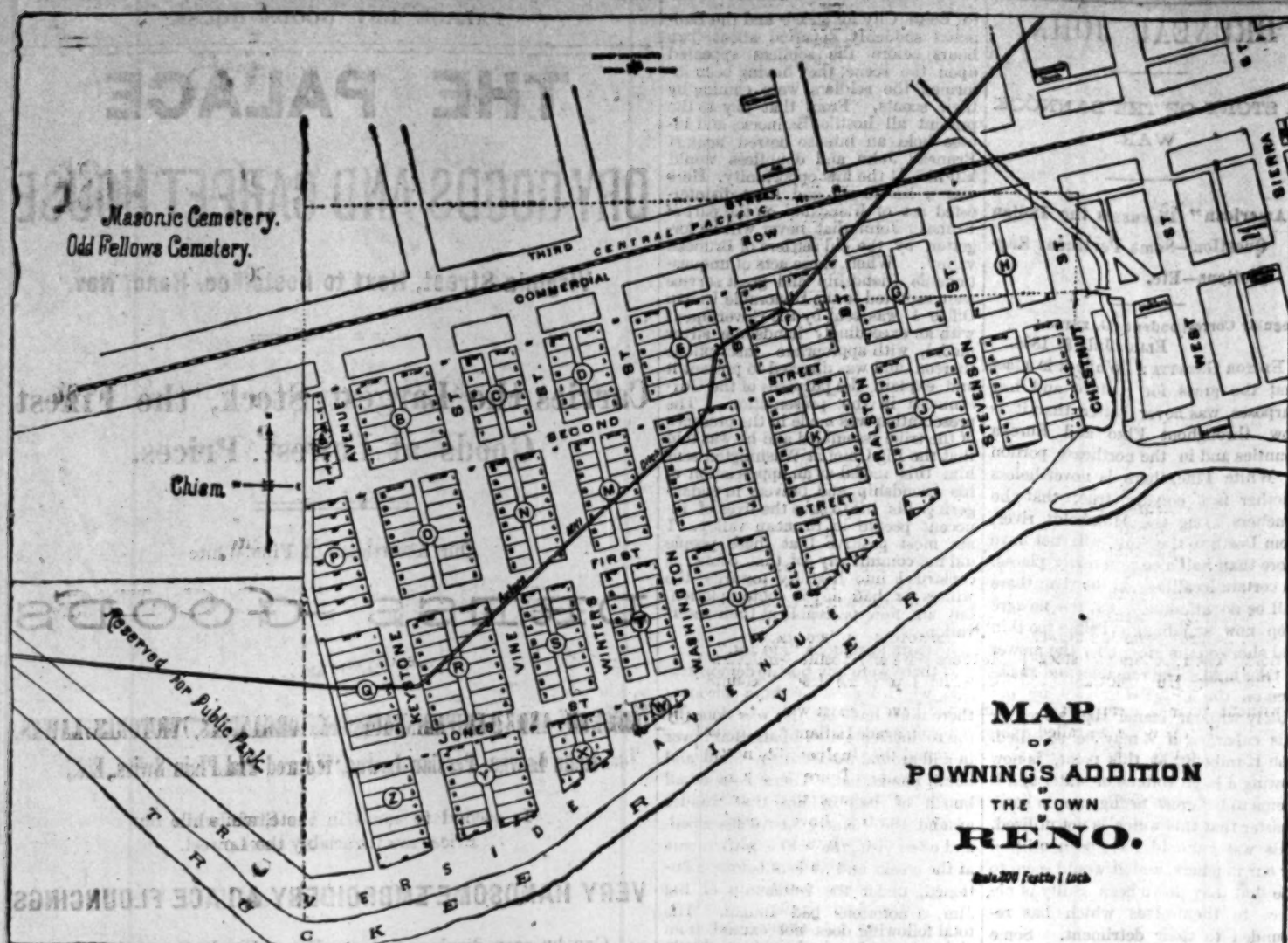
EDITOR GAZETTE: While it is a fact that the grass for pasture and hay purposes was never better than it is now throughout Elko and Eureka counties and in the northeast portion of White Pine, there is nevertheless another fact equally true, that the ranchers along the Humboldt river, from Death to the Sink, will not have more than half a crop in many places. In certain localities on the river there will be no attempt to cut the meagre crop now standing, it being too thin and short on the ground for the mow to take hold. The ranchers and stockmen on the upper Humboldt are not wholly without blame themselves for this calamity, if it may be so called. The Humboldt, at this point, is now flowing a large volume of water and it seems to be great negligence in some quarter that this water is not utilized. This water should have been utilized by our ranchers, and it would seem to one that they have been guilty of neglect to themselves which has rebounded to their detriment. Some few here and there have built dams and erected dykes, thereby causing the overflow of water upon the adjacent meadows, and their enterprise is now rewarded by a full crop of hay, while their less thoughtful and less enterprising neighbors at bay, seemingly content, as the large volume of water flowed down the river unused. Heretofore the river has overflowed its banks, inundating the meadows; hence the seeming neglect. They all now seem to realize their mistake when it is too late for this year; but steps will be taken during early fall to erect the necessary dams in the river and dykes in the sloughs, so as to avoid a like mistake in the future.

### WESTERN SHOSHONE INDIANS.

It seems that this small bunch of Indians located upon the Western Shoshone Agency, Elko county, have caused some excitement among the citizens of southwestern Idaho, particularly the isolated ranchers and stockmen in the vicinity of Big Springs, Oreana, Jordan valley, Catharine, Mary and Cassa creeks. It also seems that Governor Stevenson of Idaho has addressed a letter to the authorities at Washington in relation to the matter; hence, it becomes a subject for investigation, and the proper authorities should visit upon the guilty parties, be they Indians or whites, adequate punishment if any degradation has been committed by any hostile movement contemplated by the Indians. From the best information that I have been able to gather, and from my own knowledge of the Western Shoshone Indians, I fear the good Governor of Idaho has been imposed upon by placing too much confidence in the information when he says the Western Shoshone Indians have threatened to commit depredations upon the citizens of Idaho. I have resided in this country some twenty years and I can safely bear testimony that I never came in contact with a more friendly, docile and industrious set of Indians than those at the Western Shoshone Indian Agency, particularly the Shoshones proper. During the Bannock war of 1878 this band of Indians remained peaceable upon their reservation attending to their duties, notwithstanding they had been repeatedly urged and finally threatened by an Indian courier from the Bannocks to join them in their hostility against the whites, yet they remained peaceable upon their reservation and gave no aid or comfort to the enemy.

To show the peaceable character of my Indian friends, the Shoshones, I will, by your permission, relate an incident as a substantial proof of their friendship to the whites, when the Bannocks were on the war path in 1878. Leaving Fort Hall they overtook BrunEAU John, a Shoshone, who was returning from a visit to some friends at Fort Hall reservation. The Bannocks pressed him into service to assist them as a substantial proof of their friendship to the whites, when the Bannocks were on the war path in 1878. Leaving Fort Hall they overtook BrunEAU John, a Shoshone, who was returning from a visit to some friends at Fort Hall reservation. The Bannocks pressed him into service to assist them as a substantial proof of their friendship to the whites, when the Bannocks were on the war path in 1878. Leaving Fort Hall they overtook BrunEAU John, a Shoshone, who was returning from a visit to some friends at Fort Hall reservation. 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Money in all races to be divided as follows: First Horse, 60 per cent; Second, 20 per cent; Third, 10 per cent, unless when otherwise specified. All races free for all unless otherwise designated.

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